

**Attention: All Providers** 

## **H**ow NPI Will Affect Remittance and Status Reports

Beginning May 18, 2007, providers will no longer be able to submit Medicaid provider numbers on claims due to the implementation of NPI. Remittance and Status reports (RAs) are also impacted by the implementation of NPI. The paper RA will be changing to contain the NPI submitted on the claim in addition to the Medicaid provider number. Only the NPI will be reported on 835 transactions. Since Medicaid will still be processing and paying claims based on the Medicaid provider number, providers may receive multiple 835 transactions depending on the number of Medicaid provider numbers for which claims were processed.

NPI - Get It! Share It! Use It! Getting one is free - Not having one can be costly!

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